

DEL NORTE COUNTY

2008 WMA Base Funding Work Plan

Del Norte Resource Conservation District (DNRCD) - PROJECT #2 Member of the Humboldt/Del Norte WMA

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WMA Group affiliation: Del Norte Weed Management Area (To be initiated over the next 6-9 months) . Confirmed, 1 contract with Del Norte RCD (a 2nd contract will be established with Del Norte County Ag, both together total \$16,758).

Project Objective: To organize a Weed Management Area (WMA) for Del Norte County to effectively integrate and enhance weed eradication efforts between federal, state and local governments, private land owners, tribal entities, environmental groups and interested persons.

Project Tasks and Deliverables:

1. Establish the Del Norte WMA through coordination with interested parties identified above and written commitment (Resolutions) as appropriate.
2. Create and organize the administrative body of the Del Norte WMA including Steering Committee, meeting schedule, mailing list, email list, interested persons list, etc.
3. Prepare a Strategic Weed Management Plan for Del Norte County which identifies key goals, objectives, noxious weeds of critical importance to eradicate, roles, responsibilities, key projects and projected funding opportunities.
4. Initiate development of weed area maps for critical areas within Del Norte County.
5. Report progress, efforts, results and issues related to the above tasks to the California Department of Food and Agriculture on a timely basis.